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SUBJECT: COMMUNIQUE ISSUED BY BURMESE DISSIDENT FRONT ORGANIZATION

1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED COPY OF A COMMUNIQUE ISSUED BY THE NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC FRONT (NDF), A BURMESE DISSIDENT FRONT GROUP, ON JAN 10. THE COMMUNIQUE WAS RECEIVED BY MAIL POSTMARKED CHIANG MAI, JAN 12. TEXT IS AS FOLLOWS:
  
2. BEGIN TEXT: THE FIRST PLENARY MEETING OF THE NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC FRONT (NDF) WAS CONVENED FROM JAN 6-10, 1977 AT NDF HEADQUARTERS.

REPRESENTATIVES FROM ALL THE NINE PARTY MEMBERS ATTENDED THE MEETING. THE NDF'S PROGRAMMES AND DECISIONS ADOPTED AT THE PREVIOUS MEETING WERE REVIEWED AND MODIFIED SO AS TO ALIGN WITH THE PRESENT SITUATION.

REPRESENTATIVES TAKING PART IN THE MEETING WERE FROM:

1. KACHIN INDEPENDENCE ORGANIZATION (KIO).
2. KAREN NATIONAL UNION (KNU).
3. SHAN STATE PROGRESS PARTY (SSPP)

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4. KARENNAI NATIONAL REVOLUTIONARY COUNCIL (KNINRC).
5. ARAKAN LIBERATION PARTY (ALP)
6. KAYAN NEWLAND PARTY (KNLP)
7. LAHU NATIONAL UNITED PARTY (LNUP).
8. PALAUNG STATE LIBERATION ORGANIZATION (PSLO).
9. UNION PA-O NATIONAL ORGANIZATION (UPNO).

NEW PRESIDIUM MEMBERS WERE SELECTED FROM THE ABOVE PARTIES AND ORGANIZATIONS AND THE CENTRAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF GENERAL BO MYA (KNU PRESIDENT) WAS UNANIMOUSLY ELECTED.

THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTIONS WERE ADOPTED:

(1) AS ARMED STRUGGLE AGAINST NE WIN'S MILITARY REGIME IS THE ONLY WAY TO ACHIEVE VICTORY, THE MAIN TAKS OF THE NDF IS TO WAGE A MORE EFFECTIVE MILITARY STRUGGLE.

(2) TO OPPOSE AND EXPOSE, POLITICALLY, THE REPRESSIVE MEASURES OF THE NE WIN MILITARY DICTATORIAL REGIME.

(3) TO PROMOTE THE SOLIDARITY AND FRATERNAL UNITY OF ALL THE OPPRESSED NATIONALITIES REVOLUTIONARY FORCES.

(4) TO RESIST RESOLUTELY ALL DISRUPTIVE AND SUBVERSIVE ATTEMPTS FROM EVERY QUARTER THAT ARE DETRIMENTAL TO THE UNITY OF THE NDF.

(5) ON THE BASIS OF THE FIVE PRINCIPLE, THE NDF SHALL MAINTAIN RELATIONSHIP WITH ANY COUNTRY FOR MUTUAL BENEFIT.

HAND IN HAND WITH THE PEOPLE, THE NDF SHALL FIGHT FOR THE FREEDOM AND LIBERTY OF ALL THE OPPRESSED NATIONALITIES UNTIL FINAL VICTORY IS ACHIEVED.

PRESIDIUM,  
NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC FRONT.

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